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Applicant : Gunter Fuhr On Appeal to the Board of  
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Serial No. : 09/582,609  
Filed : September 6, 2000 Examiner: Padmanabhan, K.  
For : PROCESS AND DEVICES TO Art Unit: 1641  
MEASURE, CALIBRATE  
AND USE LASER TWEEZERS

AMENDMENT

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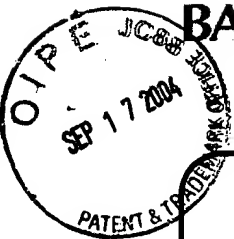
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This paper is filed in response to a telephone call from Examiner Padmanabhan on June 29, 2004 during which he indicated that all pending claims, except the "device" claims would be allowable. On July 15, 2004 the PTO issued its "Examiner's Answer." On September 9, 2004, the Applicant authorized the cancellation of the device claims, without prejudice, however, to the filing of a divisional/continuation application in which further prosecution of said cancelled claims may be pursued. Accordingly, please amend the application as set forth below.

Amendment to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

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<b>TRANSMITTAL FORM</b> <i>(to be used for all correspondence after initial filing)</i>	<b>Application Number</b>	09/582,609
	<b>Filing Date</b>	JUNE 28, 2000
	<b>First Named Inventor</b>	Fuhr
	<b>Group Art Unit</b>	2877
	<b>Examiner Name</b>	Padmanabhan, Kartic
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- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status.  
See 37 CFR 1.27

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### 1. BASIC FILING FEE

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370	370	Utility filing fee	
340	165	Design filing fee	
510	255	Plant filing fee	
740	370	Reissue filing fee	
160	80	Provisional filing fee	

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### 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

Total Claims  - 20 \*\* =  X  =  Fee Paid

Independent Claims  - 3 \*\* =  X  =  Fee Paid

Multiple Dependent  =  Fee Paid

Large Entity Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee Description
18	9	Claims in excess of 20
84	42	Independent claims in excess of 3
280	140	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
84	42	** Reissue independent claims over original patent
18	9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

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## FEE CALCULATION (continued)

### 3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Entity Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
130	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
50	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
130	130	Non-English specification	
2,520	2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
920*	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
1,840*	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
110	55	Extension for reply within first month	
400	200	Extension for reply within second month	
920	460	Extension for reply within third month	
1,440	720	Extension for reply within fourth month	
1,960	980	Extension for reply within fifth month	
320	160	Notice of Appeal	
320	160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
280	140	Request for oral hearing	
1,510	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
110	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
1,280	640	Petition to revive - unintentional	
1,280	640	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
460	230	Design issue fee	
620	310	Plant issue fee	
130	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
50	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	
180	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
40	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
740	370	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
740	370	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
740	370	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
900	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	

Other fee (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

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